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In Re Application of: Katsuya MATSUDA et al.

Transmitted herewith is a [X] REPLY: AMENDMENT AND REMARKS in the above-identified application.

[] Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted

[] Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.

[] No fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA EQUALS
TOTAL	* 19	MINUS	** 28	0
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SMALL ENTITY			
RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE		
x 9	\$		
x 43	\$		
+ 145	\$		
NAL FEE TOTAL	\$		

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY **ADDITIONAL** RATE FEE 18 \$ 86 \$ 289 \$ TOTAL

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[XX] Conditional Petition for Extension of Time

If any extension of time for a response is required, applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor.

[XX] It is hereby petitioned for an extension of time in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a). The appropriate fee required by 37 CFR 1.17 is calculated as shown below:

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Other Than Small Entity Small Entity Response Filed Within Response Filed Within First 110.00 - \$ 55.00 First [] 420.00 Second \$ 210.00 Second -[] \$ 950.00 Third \$ 475.00 \$ 1480.00 Fourth \$ 740.00 Fourth 1 Month After Time Period Set Month After Time Period Set

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[XX] Credit Card Payment Form, PTO-2038, is attached, authorizing payment in the amount of \$110.00. [XX] The Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge any additional fees which may be required in connection with this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-4035. This authorization and request is not limited to payment of all fees associated with this communication, including any Extension of Time fee, not covered by check or specific authorization, but is also intended to include all fees for the presentation of extra claims under 37 CFR §1.16 and all patent processing fees under 37 CFR §1.17 throughout the prosecution of the case. This blanket authorization does not include patent issue fees under 37 CFR §1.18.

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